

Major Employers in Baltimore County, Maryland

Company	Number Employed	Product / Service	Industry
U.S. Social Security Administration*	9,800	HQ / income security program	Federal government
University System of Maryland 1/	5,758	Higher education	Educational services
Erickson Retirement Communities	3,100	HQ / retirement communities	Health care
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services*	2,968	HQ / medical insurance program	Federal government
Wal-Mart / Sam's Club	2,924	Consumer goods	Retail trade
Franklin Square Hospital Center	2,800	Medical services	Health care
T. Rowe Price Group	2,724	Financial services	Finance and insurance
St. Joseph Medical Center	2,650	Medical services	Health care
Severstal North America	2,530	Steel	Manufacturing
CareFirst	2,498	HQ / health insurance	Finance and insurance
Greater Baltimore Medical Center (GBMC)	2,474	Medical services	Health care
Community College of Baltimore County (CCBC)	2,384	Higher education	Educational services
McCormick & Company	2,267	HQ / food flavorings	Manufacturing
Giant Food	2,142	Groceries	Retail trade
Lockheed Martin	1,800	Aerospace/defense & information technology	Information
BD Diagnostics	1,700	Medical / scientific equipment	Manufacturing
LifeBridge Health 2/	1,674	Medical services	Health care
Verizon	1,614	Telecommunications	Information
Sheppard Pratt Health System	1,465	Medical services	Health care
BGE	1,279	Energy products and services	Utilities
Home Depot	1,260	Home improvement products	Retail trade
Solo Cup	1,250	Paper / plastic cups	Manufacturing
Bank of America	1,200	Banking services	Finance and insurance
Black & Decker	1,200	HQ/ power tools	Manufacturing
Target	1,193	Consumer goods	Retail trade
United Parcel Service (UPS)	1,140	Delivery services	Transportation and warehousing
Comcast	1,100	Cable and internet services	Information
AAI	1,097	Defense systems	Manufacturing
Quest Diagnostics	1,007	Medical testing services	Health care

Note: Excludes post offices, state and local governments; includes public higher education institutions.

* Employee counts for federal and military facilities exclude contractors.

1/ Includes UMBC and Towson University.

2/ Includes Northwest Hospital Center and Jewish Convalescent & Nursing Home.

Sources: Economic development agencies statewide and Maryland Department of Business and Economic Development, November 2008.